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Seniors receive \$250 scholarships

Scholarship grants of \$250 each have been awarded to two students by the Beta Sigma chapter of Kappa Kappa Kappa, Inc., national sorority.

Recipients are Kathleen Sowinski, East Chicago, a senior majoring in secondary education, and John Jalocha, East Chicago, a senior majoring in secondary education.

Miss Sowinski, a graduate of Roosevelt high school, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sowinski.

Jalocha graduated from St. Bonaventure high school in Sturtevant, Wis., and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jalocha.

The scholarship grants were presented by Mrs. Herbert J. Nicholls, 4136 Dearborn St., East Chicago, president of the sorority, and Mrs. Jacque D. Cohen, 4734 Magoun Ave., East Chicago, scholarship chairman.

Board names new director



Curosh

The Calumet Campus Board of Trustees has named William J. Curosh, owner of Curosh's Department Store, Whiting, to the College Corporation's Board of Directors. The corporation includes both Calumet and Rensselaer campuses.

Also representing the Calumet Campus on the 11-member Board of Directors are the Rev. John M. Lefko, C.P.P.S., president and Irving L. Lewin, secretary-treasurer of Lewin's Inc., East Chicago.

Area Alumni work to form active group

Formation of an active Alumni Association has been initiated by Fr. Louis Osterhage, dean of students and newly appointed alumni director, in cooperation with the college's Development Office headed by Harry Cane.

Senior class officers from previous graduating classes kicked off the alum-

ni program at a recent dinner and have since been conducting larger individual class meetings to plan programs of alumni involvement.

Further meetings are being planned by the classes as procedures for establishing an Alumni Association are formulated.



1964 class representatives Mr. and Mrs. John Dvorske III (Kathleen Golumbiewski) and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lowry (Kathleen Mullaney).

Frosh elect officers

Heading the college's largest freshman class is Frank Hennesy, Chicago, a graduate of St. Willibrord High School there. The recently elected president is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hennessy and was president of the Student Council at St. Willibrord.

Other class officers are Ronald Hanchar, Lansing, vice president; Debra Tatro, Dyer, treasurer; Ruby Powell, East Chicago, secretary.

Hanchar is a graduate of Thornton Fractional South High School, Lansing, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanchar. Hanchar was a member of the band and on the golf team at T. F. South.

Miss Tatro, who graduated from Lake Central High School, St. John, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tatro. In high school, she was a member of the National Thespians, the Art Club and German Club.

Miss Powell is a graduate of East Chicago Washington High School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Powell. In high school, Miss Powell was a member of the Student Council and was active in the Drama Club, Business Club, Biology Club, Latin and German Clubs and Forensics.

First semester ends

December 20

Second term

classes begin January 8

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Stage drama sequel opens December 5

The sequel to "Oedipus Rex," presented by the campus drama club two years ago, will be dramatically presented in the production of "Antigone," according to Joseph F. Miklojcik, acting chairman of the Speech and Theater Department.

It will be directed by James O'Reilly, who was cast as Oedipus in the production two years ago. O'Reilly is director of the Crown Theater at the University of Chicago.



O'Reilly

Miklojcik said performances will be given December 5, 6, 7, 12, 13 and 14 in the college campus theater.

The two opening night performances have been reserved by the college's Board of Trustees and a special college fund-raising group known as the "Saints" for the annual black-tie productions.

College Tradition

Detailing the college's theatrical philosophy, O'Reilly said "Antigone" had been selected for the fall production because it follows in the traditions of the college, and because it is the familiar sequel to *Oedipus* when Creon is king and Antigone is both niece and subject.

"There are many reasons behind the choice of a play for a college theatre. Artistically and aesthetically the play should satisfy the director, the designer and the actors. Academically, the student actor should have the opportunity to work with many varied kinds of theater that will give him the

Arts critic for press



Mrs. Penny Donovan, instructor in humanities, was recently named music and drama critic for the Gary Post-Tribune daily newspaper. Mrs. Donovan is well known in the area as musical director of the "Show Teens," a popular chorus that is scheduled to tour Europe next summer.

broad base of awareness," explained O'Reilly.

"Finally, we in the theater have a dual responsibility to the community. First, to the students and faculty, to do the plays that are not seen in the commercial theater, plays that have some comment to be made about our times. Our second responsibility is to the community-at-large, for the theater as a performing art can be one of the most effective spokesmen for the college in the community," O'Reilly observed.

Stage design is under the direction of Miklojcik.



William Passmore, winner of President Nixon's trophy as the nation's outstanding handicapped worker, is congratulated by Sr. Marie Estelle LiPomi, assistant professor of English and French, Fr. John M. Lefko, college president, and officers of the Teacher Education Association, Suzan Martz and Sylvia Torres, following his address at the annual Teacher Education Ass'n dinner at Rupcich's Restaurant, last month.

Faculty grid great(s)

"Our 1-won, 3-lost record is a better one than the Chicago Bears, hence I expect to have my contract renewed!"

Thus spoke husky Melvyn Siegel, ass't professor of business administration, and captain of the Faculty Football team which played in the campus intramural league this fall. Not only is Siegel proud of his team; he is also proud of himself.

He was elected to the SJ East All-Stars team, which may account for East's defeat of the West All Stars 6-2 in the championship game.

Modestly, Siegel declined to comment upon his football future. He did, however, praise his fellow faculty players and the "friends" drafted to fill in when inclement weather kept the old boys in.



Siegel

Siegel's assistants were Vince Chiaro, student personnel; Jim Clower, ass't to the academic dean; Ed Laude, director of guidance; Al Lewandowski, ass't professor of business; Charles Radey, English instructor; Ruben Rodriguez, ass't director of admissions.

The Sunday sports classics took place at Kosciuszko Park.

43 seniors slated for Dec. graduation

Led scholastically by Mrs. Linda Mascarello Shawver of Lansing, Mich., 43 seniors were placed on the preliminary list of December graduates by Miss Jay Gould, registrar. Mrs. Shawver will graduate cum laude with a major in English.

Graduates listed and their majors are: Miss Kathleen Bartels, Chicago, elementary education; Miss Linda Benchik, Munster, elementary education; Miss Helen Boric, Gary, elementary education; Miss Sandra Borrman, Merrillville, elementary education; Patrick Brewer, Harvey, management; Ray Cobb, Chicago, management.

Mrs. Charlene (Simaga) Curosh, Sharon, Pa., English; Mrs. Margot J. Dion, Flossmoor, Ill., elementary education; Robert D. Ditusa, Merrionette, Ill., management; Daniel F. Dwornik, South Holland, Ill., journalism; Michael D. Faoro, Dolton, Ill., management; Miss Rosemary Gaydos, Gary, elementary education; Kerry E. Gremp, Crete, Ill., sociology; Clarence T. Helsel, Chicago Heights, Ill., mathematics; Edward P. Houlihan, Chicago, management; William Hudson, Glenwood, Ill., English.

Mrs. Patricia Jurek, Chicago, Ill., elementary education; Jerome Kamradt, Whiting, accounting; Joseph W. Kovach, Calumet City, Ill., speech and theater; Robert A. Kowalski, Hammond, management; Miss Lauren Leonard, Griffith, elementary education; James J. Losieczka, Chicago, marketing; Michael J. McKenna, Chicago, management; James E. Mackey, Dolton, Ill., history; Dennis W. Mestrich, East Chicago, medical technology; Anthony B. Mican, Schererville, accounting; Miss Mary Michalik, Chicago, elementary education; Mrs. Pamela Benda Miller, Whiting, English.

Miss Judith T. Nitz, Calumet City, Ill., English; Miss Patricia Olson, Dolton, Ill., sociology; James P. Piejko, Chicago, history; Michael E. Richardson, Gary, speech and theater; Thomas P. Rockey, Highland, accounting; George H. Ruswick, South Holland, Ill., management; George D. Sabin, Chicago, management; Robert S. Stockus, Chicago, mathematics; Kenneth L. Vanderhye, Lansing, Ill., medical technology; Sr. Mary Celeste Walkowski, Gary, elementary education; C. Robert Ward, Evergreen Park, Ill., management; Daniel J. Zambo, Hammond, elementary education; Mrs. Judith Kelly Zeller, Park Forest, Ill., sociology; Miss Marjorie A. Ziembra, Evergreen Park, Ill., management.



Campus painters added whimsical mod touches to the remodeled buildings on Olcott Ave. The Fine Arts Building (top), charcoal with gray and blue lettering and arrows, houses faculty offices on the second floor. Robert Anderson, ass't professor of fine arts, designed the exterior. Across the street the stark white Theater Building is boldly proclaimed in bright blue. It was designed by Jerry Mass of the L. Cosby Bernard & Co. architectural firm.

January luncheon to feature '70 forecast

Dr. Irving Schweiger of the University of Chicago will present his annual economic forecast at the Executive Luncheon January 8 at Phil Smidt's Restaurant in Hammond, according to Professor James Fattore, jr.

Reservation (\$4.00) should be made prior to three days before the luncheon-meeting. Co-sponsors with the college are Chambers of Commerce in Gary, Hammond, East Chicago and Whiting, Fattore explained.

Over 100 people heard Clark E. Chipman of the U.S. Office of Education in Chicago speak at the first luncheon in the series, November 20.



Schweiger

Conventions, speeches keep faculty and staff on the go

Faculty and staff members have been busy this year attending professional meetings, serving as guest speakers and representing the college at community affairs.



Banet

Dr. Robert A. Banet, chairman of the English Dept., attended the Midwest Modern Language Ass'n convention in St. Louis; Fr. Mark Meischel, chairman of the Psychology Dept., American Psychological Ass'n convention in Washington, D.C., Higher Education Executive Association in Cleveland, O., and will speak at the East Chicago Elks Memorial service December 7; Mrs. Lillian E. Bell, chairman Journalism Dept., directed the newspaper course at the Valparaiso University Annual Journalism Seminar, instructor at the Wall St. Journal's Newspaper Fund 2-week workshop at Savannah State College in Georgia, guest speaker at the St. Pierre Ruffin women's club annual luncheon in South Bend, Ind.;

Mrs. Claudia Blacktop, bookstore manager, National Ass'n of College Bookstores regional convention in De Kalb, Ill.; Alger V. Boswell, instructor in speech, appeared in the Gary Music Theatre production "South Pacific"; Sr. Cecillanne Broton, ass't professor of history and ass't librarian, served as chairman of the Northern Illinois Catholic Library Ass'n, National Audio Visual Association meeting in Chicago; Vincent G. Chiaro, coordinator student personnel services, assigned to the executive committee of Indiana Student Financial Aid Administrators and attended meeting at Manchester College, Manchester, Midwestern Ass'n Student Financial Aid Administrators, East Lansing, Mich.; Mrs. Penny Donovan, instructor in hu-

manities, attended National Music Educators convention in Cleveland, O.; Robert Du Fon, chairman Philosophy Dept., attended American Catholic Philosophical Ass'n meeting in New York, the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy in Evanston, Ill., spoke to The Florian Society at St. Casimir's Church in Hammond;

James L. Fattore, jr., chairman Business and Economics Department, attended annual meeting of the American Ass'n of Collegiate Schools of Business in Detroit, the Midwest Business Administration Ass'n meeting in Chicago, was appointed to the local Junior Achievement program board of directors, spoke to Mt. Carmel High School seniors in Chicago; Dr. George J. Fleming, associate professor of history, attended Organization of American Historians in Philadelphia, Historians of Metropolitan Chicago at the College of St. Francis, Joliet, Ill.; John L. Iglar, librarian, attended the Library College Associates conference earlier this month; John Jaros, director of admissions, went to the Indiana Admissions and Financial Aid Congress at Indiana Central College, Indianapolis;

The Rev. Michael Kenny, instructor in theology, attended the executive board meeting of the National Conference of Diocesan Directors in Detroit; Fr. Francis L. Kinney, chairman Education Dept., attended College Certification Advisers conference in Indianapolis, represented the college at the East Chicago Commission on Human Relations meetings, addressed members of the National Honor Society, Seton High School, South Holland, Ill.; Raymond J. Krajewski, academic dean, American Council of Education meeting in Washington, D.C., Indiana Conference of Higher Education, Indianapolis, guest speaker for the East Chicago Lions Club, attended meeting

of Deans and Directors of Evening Colleges and Universities in Hammond;

Alec A. Lazur, chairman Sociology Department, attended the American Sociological Ass'n convention in San Francisco and the Insurgent Sociology meeting in Berkeley, board meeting of LePlay Research in New York. He was re-elected to the board and the office of treasurer, appointed college representative to Governor's Conference on Urban Problems for the State and attended the meeting in Indianapolis; Fr. George J. Lubeley, associate professor of religion, National Liturgical Week convention, Washington, D.C., Midwest Ass'n of Theological Schools meeting in Chicago, addressed the Serra Club of the Calumet Region on current practices in the formation of seminarians;

Fr. John F. Morales, lecturer in theology, attended national meeting of the Canon Law Society of America in Cleveland; Maurice D. O'Hern, lecturer in mathematics, spoke to the Chicagoland American Management Ass'n conference; Dr. Thomas Remeikis, chairman Political Science Dept., attended the American Political Science Ass'n meeting in New York; Fr. Ronald J. Schiml, director of the foundation, attended the Institute on Fund Raising and Public Relations, Denver, Colo.; Melvyn H. Siegel, assistant professor of business and economics, attended the Business Forecasting meeting of the American Statistical Ass'n in Chicago; the Rev. R. Donald Weaver, lecturer in theology, served as ass't director of the National United Methodist Scholarship Travel Seminar, spoke to the East Chicago Rotary Club, the local Kiwanis Key Club, interview on radio WWCA, Gary, addressed Crown Point Scholarship banquet, participated in the dedication of Inland Steel employees Credit Union building.

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